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NEVADA CITY —

Sportmen's Paradise

WHERE, WHEN and HOW THEY'RE BITING and Other Sportsmen's Items

The Pacific Gas and Electric company has been spreading the word and truthfully too, throughout the bay area and the state that Nevada county is the best fishing spot in California.

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The Nugget plans to carry this column in its Friday issue every week throughout the fishing and hunting seasons. We will appreciate and publish any game stories and anecdotes of this area. Just call 36 and a courteous reporter will take your information or drop it at the office, 305 Broad street, or send it to us through the mail. Stories of good fishing spots, good catches, unusual catches, etc.

We also plan to carry a survey of the past weekend activities of fishing and prospects for the future.

Most of our sources of information tell us the lakes of the Downieville area have the best fishing prospects for this weekend. Gold, Upper Salmon, Sardine, Horse and Snag lakes have all been producing limits.

Crawford Bridges and Harold Hartung came back this week from a three-day expedition of excellent fishing results in the Gold lake area.

Good catches have been snagged from French, Milton and Bowman lakes but the future prospects there are not so good. Milton water level has been lowered by transferring water to Bowman. Milton has been lowered four feet. Bowman prospects will probably not be better until more water is stored.

Independence, Fuller and Culbertson lakes are reported good. Frank Ghidotti, Cal Christensen and others got good catches from Culbertson.

Fordyce lake is excellent but the road there is tough and rough traveling.

Scott's Flat reservoir this week has been giving good shore bait fishing, but trolling has been poor.

Stream fly fishing has been giving excellent catches, particularly to those who are Johnny on the spot finding holes with the fighting babies in them. Some holes have given limits one day and goose eggs the next.

The north and south forks of the Yuba river are producing excellent strings, and Canyon creek has been exceptional the past week. Fishermen are warned that streams dry up and local inquiry should be made if the terrain is not too well known to the individual.

Nothing exceptional has been reported from Deer creek, nor has Truckee river been sensational. The river has been milky.

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Fishing is not so good in the famed Rainy river country of western Ontario, according to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hiscox in a note to friends here. The local game warden and his wife are enjoying a vacation, and naturally are taking a busman's holiday by trying for the large pike and muskies the Ontario and Minnesota lakes are supposed to be filled with. They reported several snow flurries on their way east and just missed a cyclone in Nebraska.

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There are at least 4,000 California hunters who want a chance at one of the 500 antelope hunting permits to be issued for the 1949 open season, the division of fish and game has disclosed.

Another 6,000 hopeful nimrods are expected to apply for special permits before the application deadline July 20.

The first antelope season in four years was set by the fish and game commission after hearing reports from the bureau of game conservation and residents of northeastern California that herds are too numerous for the carrying capacity, or food production, of their range.

Bag limit is one male antelope with horns longer than ears.

The season will extend from Aug. 27 to Sept. 5 in a designated area of Lassen, Modoc, and Shasta counties. Each permit holder will receive a map outlining the restricted hunting section.

If you're a resident and would like a chance to take home the makings of an antelope stew, here's the procedure:

Apply for a preliminary application blank at the Sacramento office of the division of fish and game, or any of 2800 license agencies, several of which are located in Nevada City. Fill out and return it to the Sacramento office.

If yours is one of the 500 applications selected by lottery, a formal application will be sent asking for the special $7 fee. Three hundred alternate names will also be drawn and notified if openings occur by disqualification.

Upon receipts of the special license fee, the division will mail a permit with complete hunting instructions.

Applications will not be accepted from anyone under the age of 16, or those who have received an antelope permit at any time during the last 10 years. Either a husband or wfe, but not both, may apply.

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Fishermen going into the high country are reporting the discovery of corpses of deer, evidently frozen to death in the severe winter season.

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California vacationers and apparently abandoned fawns are combining to give wardens of the division of fish and game their annual summer headache.

The irresistible appeal of an "orphan" baby deer each year brings out a rash of impromptu adoptions in violation of the fish and game code, wardens report.

But most important, say those who know, is the fact that a fawn is seldom far away from the watchful eyes of its mother. Would-be woodland social workers are actually breaking up a happy family in almost every case.

One warden puts it this way: "We're tired of playing nursemaid to confiscated fawns. Arrests and convictions will be made for possession of deer out of season or fawns at any time."

The fine in state courts: $50 to $500 and six months in jail.

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The following general regulations apply to current hunting and fishing.

BLACK BASS—Bag limit: five fish. No size limit.

SUNFISH, CRAPPIE, SACRAMENTO PERCH, CALICO BASS—Bag limit: 25 fish of all species in aggregate. No size limit.

CATFISH—No closed season. Bag limit: 15 pounds and one fish in the aggregate in the round.

TROUT—Ends Oct. 31. Bag limit: 15 trout, salmon, or Rocky Mountain whitefish, or 10 pounds and one fish, or three fish regardless of weight.

PREDATORY ANIMALS—No closed season on the taking of coyotes, mountain lions, wildcats, raccoons, skunks, moles, shrews, gophers, weasels, and wolves.

SALMON—In waters of Pacific ocean and all bays except those east of Carquinez bridge in Sacramento-San Joaquin rivers, ends Dec. 31. Bag limit: three. No size limit.

FROGS—Ends Nov. 30 in district 22 and all sections of the state except south of summit of Tehachapi mountain range, where season extends from July 1 to Nov. 29. Bag limit: 24 per week. Minimum size limit: four inches from tip of nose to crotch. No license required.

SIERRA NEVADA UNIT WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Sierra Nevada Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce room, city hall, Nevada City, George Hansen, president, will be in charge.

In view of the coming Fourth of July Centennial celebration planning which is reaching a climax, this meeting is important and warrants attendance. The chamber's summer promotional program will be discussed.

FLAGS, LIGHTS WILL DECORATE STREETS 4TH

Nevada City will be decorated with street banners and lights to give color to the Nevada County Centennial celebration July 2, 3, and 4, by the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce.

Rav J. Spickelmier, chamber president, presided at a meeting of the chamber Tuesday evening at the city hall.

It was announced Spickelmier had been named this week to the highway committee of the State Chamber of Commerce, Sacramento district. H. F. Sofge, secretary of the Nevada City organization, received reappointment to the highway committee and recreation and travel committe of the state chamber. The appointments came from George G. Pollocb, regional vice president of the State Chamber of Commerce.

William Swain, operator of the Nevada City airport, urged contact be made with the aerial and state highway commissions of the state for placement of highway guide signs pointing to the local airport.

Sofge read some figures from the division of highways which showed the division listed Nevada county with a need of $8,078,000 in highway construction for the ten year period, 1947-56. Pegged as the goal for construction for the five year period to 1952 is $861,000, of which $762,795 has been expended or obligated, leaving a deficiency of $98,205.

Sofge said the following action on 1947 recommendations was listed in the report: (1) studies from aerial photographs and preliminary surveys had been made of a survey for proposed relocation of Nevada City-Grass Valley highway, (2) contract for construction will be made this year for survey and grade of Steep Hollow to Bear river, and (3) nothing yet scheduled for a four-lane highway between Nevada City and Grass Valley.

The Weather

Fred Bush, observer

Friday, June 10	91	50
Saturday, June 11	92	49
Sunday, June 12	91	49
Monday, June 13	93	53
Tuesday, June 14	95	54
Wednesday, June 15	96	53
Thursday, June 16	94	51

MAMA FIVE-TIMES-OVER CUM LAUDE

NEW YORK—Mrs. Mercedes Quiroga hasn't let rearing five children and serving as assistant pastor in her husband's church keep her from studying for a bachelor of arts degree. Here she goes over the ABCs of trigonometry with four daughters, (from left) Priscilla, 14; Lydia, 12; Carmen, 16; and Mercedes, 17. Mrs. Quiroga, wife of the Rev. Hermino Quiroga, past of the Second Spanish Baptist Church, will be graduated this month from Hunter College.

SHOCK ASSUMES REINS OF NC ROTARY CLUB

J. M. Shock, Tahoe national forest engineer, was installed president of Nevada City Rotary club last night at a charcoal broiled steak dinner in Pioneer park.

Lloyd Gest, retiring president, presided at the dinner and turned the gavel of office over to Shock.

Other officers installed were R. V. Conrad, secretary; H. A. Curnow, treasurer; U. S. N. Johnson, and H. I. Snyder, two-year directors; Stanley Halls, Kenneth Adams and Carl Foote, one-year directors.

Bert Foreman and J. F. Siegfried headed the committee in charge of arrangements for last night's dinner. Curnow was program chairman.

Paul Bergemann, Robert Tamblyn and Ed A. Frantz were in charge of demotion of Geist and installation of the new officers.

The Rainbow Girls will hold a home cooked food sale Saturday morning at 10 o'clock n front of the Alpha Hardware building. Hot dishes, salads and cakes will be displayed at reasonable prices.

ASKS $10,491 FOR DISTAL JOINT OF THE INDEX FINGER

Floyd Pike, Grass Valley, filed suit in Nevada county superior court asking $10,491 damages for loss of index finger at distal joint against Chris Hansen, proprietor of Grass Valley Auto Wreckers, Grass Valley.

Pike charges the joint of the finger was amputated following its injury suffered June 15, 1948, when a vehicle in the wrecking yard slipped from blocks and crushed the finger.

Crofford W. Bridges, Grass Valley, is attorney for plaintiff.

Deed for Armory Is Delivered to State

Harold Johnson, state senator, Tuesday delivered the deed to the site of the proposed $105,000 armory for the California National Guard to the state office in Sacramento. Lt. Col. Harold J. Hjelm accepted the deed on behalf of the California National Guard. George Calanan, city clerk, delivered the deed from Nevada City to the senator.

Next step will be soil testing by guard engineers.

The deed will revert to the city if construction is not started within five years.

4-H EXHIBIT DAY TOMORROW AT WATT PARK

The first of a proposed annual series of 4-H club exhibit days is scheduled for tomorrow at the Nevada County Fair grounds, with all 4-H club organizations of Nevada county participating and the public invited.

This will be an all-day exhibit day program, in which classes will be set up for all kinds of stock, projects and exhibits of 4-H club members.

A purely ribbon show with no cash premiums to be awarded, judging will take place in cattle, hogs, sheep, rabbits, poultry and specialty classes and in girls clothing and other similar projects.

The stock exhibit will take place beneath the pines and the clothing or garment exhibit will be held at the Nevada County Fair offices on the grounds.

Judging will begin at 9 a.m. and should be completed by 12 noon.

A noon picnic luncheon will be spread on the grounds, with each group asked to bring their own lunches.

Immediately after the luncheon from 1 to 1:30 p.m. the 4-H club girls will offer a fashion show in modeling the many garments they have made during the year. This should prove most interesting.

The girls will also participate in a field day of sports and competitions in the morning with the boys engaging in a schedule of track and field events during the afternoon.

The 4-H Club Exhibit day is receiving considerable help from Loyle Freeman, manager and Edith Scott, secretary of the 17th District Agricultural association.

Participating clubs will be.

Banner, Eager Beaver, Kentucky Flat, Nevada City, Chicago Park Hornets, Forest Springs, Mooney Flat, Penn Valley, Union Hill.

Asks Judgment Of $20,141.50 in Court

Felice Moriano filed suit in Nevada county superior court against Elmo B. Moriano, Soda Springs, asking $20,142.50 for two promissory notes of $5,900 and $3750, additonal loan of $5930, and expenses. Donald W. McMillan, San Francisco, is attorney.

Slowness of Transcontinental Mail in 1854 Sets Stage for Dedication

Slowness of the U. S. mails in 1854 is the kingpin of the chain of events that will be culminated here Sunday, July 3, with the dedication of the A. A. Sargent monument and the Pioneer cemetery.

It all goes back to the turning point in the life of Aaron Augustus Sargent, printer, lawyer, district attorney, congressman, senator, minister plenipotentiary, founder of the Republican party in Nevada county, organizer of lodges and charter Noble Grand of Oustomah Lodge No. 16, International Order of Odd Fellows, founded in Nevada City in 1853.

Sargent was partner-publisher of the Nevada Journal in 1854, and tiring of the hard life of a mining camp town, suggested to his friend and co-worker, N. P. Brown, a printer of the Journal staff, that they buy the Newburyport, Mass., Herald, where the two had learned the trade of printing.

Sargent sold his interest in the Journal and dispatched the letter to Massachusetts. To occupy the time awaiting a reply Sargent started studying law. When the reply finally arrived from the east Sargent was so engrossed in his law studies he abandoned the fourth estate (he thought).

In less than one calendar year Sargent completed his studies, passed the bar examination, and was elected district attorney of Nevada county. It embarked him on a brilliant political career that carried him to Berlin as minister plenipotentiary to the court of the Prussian Kaiser.

Sargent was born in Newburyport Sept. 28, 1827, and at an early age was an apprentice in the Herald office. He also put in a short time in Washington, D.C., as a secretary to a senator.

He joined the argonaut trail and came to California in 1849. He worked a short while as a compositor in the Alta in San Francisco, but in less than a year he had migrated to the gold fields in this city. He worked in the diggings for two years and laid the foundation for a lifetime of uncompromising battle for the hydraulickers.

The lure of printers' ink flowing in his veins was too strong and he and a Dr. Alban became publishers of the Nevada Journal, first newspaper to be published in the gold camp. The doctor shortly sold his interests to E. R. Budd.

The same year, 1852, Sargent, returned to Newburyport and married Miss Ellen Clark and brought her back to the booming gold town.

Two years in the publishing business and Sargent and Brown made the decision to return to New England, but fate in the guise of slow mails changed the course of his life and he remained in Nevada county to become its earliest prominent citizen.

Following his term as district attorney Sargent returned to the newspaper career on the Journal.

Engrossed in politics, he switched from the dying Whig party that had elected him district attorney and was founder of the Republican party in Nevada county. He served in Chicago as a delegate to the Republican convention that nominated Abraham Lincoln as its candidate for president, although the California delegation's choice was William H. Seward.

Sargent returned to Nevada county in time to run for and be elected to the house of representatives of the 31st congress in 1860. After one term he returned to Nevada City to practice law. Among his partners in legal practice were A. C. Niles and T. B. McFarland, both of whom sat on the state supreme court bench.

Re-elected to the house, and later to the senate. Sargent reached the pinnacle of his political career when President U. S. Grant appointed him minister to Germany. Sargent called Bismarck a liar when the German power behind the throne accused American meat packers of shipping trichina-infected pork to Germany and the German court asked Sargent be recalled. Grant offered him the portfolio of ambassador to Russia but Sargent returned to a law practice in San Francisco where he died Aug. 14, 1887.

Sargent was entombed in an impressive sarcophagus of marble on a granite base and interred in San Francisco. Business encroachment and depletion of the ranks of pioneers finally resulted in abandonment of the cemetery. The bones of the Nevada City pioneer were cremated and scattered over Quaker Hill. His sarcophagus was brought to Nevada City and placed in Pioneer cemetery as a monument.

The Nevada Journal, founded in 1851, and which Sargent guided through its trying years was destroyed by the great fire of 1863 and the paper never resumed publication. Sargent also served as city attorney and city trustee.

The program here on Sunday, July 3, will dedicate the tomb as a monument to the pioneer statesman, and at the same time the cemetery will also be officially designated and dedicated as the Pioneer cemetery.

The remains of many of Nevada City's pioneers are interred in the cemetery atop a hill now crowned with towering pines planted after the abandonment of the cemetery. A son of General John A. Sutter, who died in 1864, is resting there, as well as Henry Meredith, killed near Susanville in an Indian uprising.

Peter T. Conmy, Oakland, Grand President of the Native Sons of the Golden West, will deliver the principal dedicatory address. Joseph R. Knowland, Oakland, chairman of the California centennial commission, will also speak at the ceremonies.

Aaron Sargent, grandson of the pioneer, is expected to be present at the dedication services.

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FIRE IN THE FORESTS

Summer and fall constitute two of the most serious fire periods in this country. Forests and fields dry out, awaiting only the touch of a spark to burst into flame. Tourists throng the highways. Thousands of campers go into the woods. Commercial camps and vacation spots of all kinds run at capacity.

Every year sees the destruction of magnificent forests, accompanied by a tragic toll of wildlife. Some forest fires do occur spontaneously, from lightning or other natural causes. But a far greater number can be attributed to human carelessness and ignorance. The motorist who throws burning cigarette butts and matches from his car, and the camper who leaves a fire without dousing it with water and burying it with earth until every spark is out and every ember is cold, are two of the worst offenders. The whole nation is the poorer because of them.

A plain duty confronts everfone who goes into the outdoors for any reason. It is to protect a heritage which, once destroyed, may take centuries to replace. The various public and private bodies which deal with fire are doing a fine job. They are making available to all simple, easy rules for fire safety. They maintain patrols and fire fighting organizations. But they can do little without public cooperation. A forest fire can spread with incredible swiftness, and be completely beyond control in a matter of minutes under certain conditions.

Make the most of the woods—and save them for the future.

Ideas go booming through the world lounder than cannon. Thoughts are mightier than armies. Principles have achieved more victories than horsemen or chariots.
—W. M. Paxton

Great ideas come when the world needs them. They surround the world's ignorance and press for admission.
—Austin Phelps

Events are only the shells of ideas; and often it is the fluent thought of the ages that is crystallized in a moment by the stroke of a pen or the point of a bayonet.
—E. H. Chapin

The changing glow and full effulgence of God's infinite ideas, images, mark the periods of progress.
—Mary Baker Eddy

It is a lesson which all history teaches wise men to put trust in ideas, and not in circustances. —Emerson

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Work is not man's punishment. It is his reward and his strength and his pleasure. —George Sand

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All successful individuals have become such by hard work; by improving moments before they pass into hours, and hours that other people may occupy in the pursuit of pleasure. —Mary Baker Eddy

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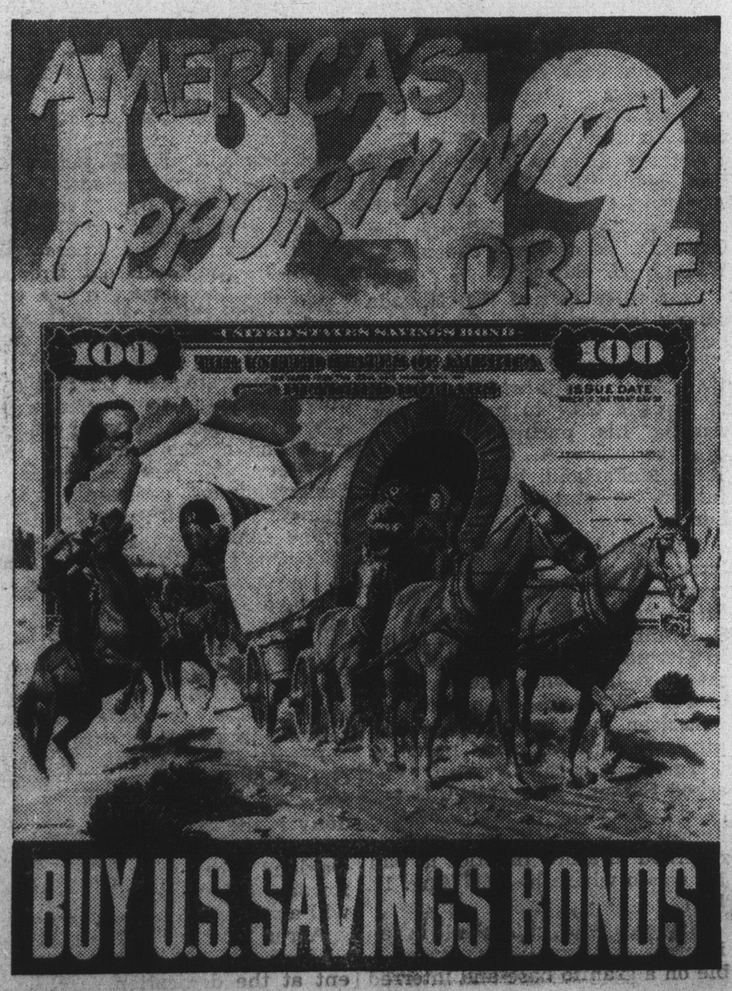
Floridan (picking up a melon): "Is this the largest apple you can grow in your state?" Californian: "Stop fingering that grape."



The Human Race

JOE GLOW IS A VERY AMIABLE CITIZEN UNTIL SOMEBODY MENTIONS THAT HE BETTER NOT DRIVE—
GET HIM OUTA HERE!
C'MON, JOE—I'LL DRIVE YOU HOME—
I GET IT! YOU'RE INSHINUATIN' I'M SCHWACKED, HUH? COULD A GUY THAT'S HAD TOO MANY DO THIS? I ASK YA-? WHOOPEE!
WHEEEEEE
LOOK, FOLKSH! NO HANDSH!
SO THEY LET HIM DRIVE—

Just Wonderin'

I Wonder if some one is waiting
For words that your lips may say,
Or a letter your hand may be writing
To brighten his special day.
It takes so little to please him—
A token, a letter, a kiss;
An entire day devoted to Father
Is one that we never shall miss.

Sunday next is Fathers' Day and I hope that it will be a joyous one for the fathers of America and for those who conspire to make it joyous. Upon this one day of the year we may devote our selves to the task of repaying father, in some little way for all his love and tenderness and care which he has be bestowed upon us through the years.

I Wonder if any of our celebrations in honor of father will be prefunctory. I hope not and I believe that the children of this and older generations will enter into the spirit of the day and see to it that dad is not left in doubt concerning their sentiments for him. Sometimes we are inarticulate with our dear ones, but let's speak up next Sunday; let's tell father that we love him and give him a kiss and a hug that will prove the truth of our words.

The average father will be truly thrilled by such a demonstration of affection; it will linger in his mind and warm his heart for many a day to come. Perhaps having broken the ice and spoken our sentiments, we shall find it easy to repeat the little ceremony of convincing father. Perhaps it might even become a daily habit to whisper the words, "I love you," to your own father and to show by our actions that we mean them. Father will not tire of the words, nor of the demonstrations and who knows? With so much love and devotion demonstrated each day for a year, might bring smiles to the sour face of this old world and usher in the age of peace and good will among all men.

When one is imagining, one might as well imagine big; and a general overflow of love among parents and children, husbands and wives, step mothers and sons in law has never been tried; there is no harm in speculating about the effect such an amount of demonstrated love would have on the family, the neighborhood, the town or the state. I wish it could be tried.

To many of us Father's Day will bring tender memories of one who is "away." It will be a day of tender reminiscing and of recalling all the dear familiar scenes of childhood, youth and even later years. I think there is no stronger bond of affection than that which exists betwen a devoted father and an appreciative child, certainly the companionship of father and son, or father and daughter is incomparable in its power to bring happiness and profit into the lives of those who experience it.

I hope that the coming of Fathers' Day will bring great happiness to the fathers of our land and thta its gracious example may bring about its adoption by other lands and other people. Let us realize that the homes of our land are its most priceless possessions and that in them Mother and Father reign supreme. Mother as a queen in her own right and father a beloved sovereign whose reign is benign and whose influences are exerted in behalf of all that is good and true, fine and noble in the American Home of today.

Here's to the fathers of the land; may the living receive their meed of love and appreciation and may fond memories enshrine those who are—"away."
—Adeline Merriam Conner

Inflation makes us do without a lot of necessities so we can buy the luxuries we can't live without.

GOLD DIGGER'S TRAIL

Charles Scott Haley

The first intimation that I received was in coming out of our mess at noon on the eleventh. A white Russian minor princeling had been working for us as an accountant, having been driven to work as a result of the Bolshevik confiscation of his estates. He was not very prepossessing, and as I stepped out the door of our dining room ahead of the others, he grabbed me around the neck and imprinted two very moist and garlicky kisses on either cheek. I have always looked askance at princes ever since.

That afternoon I went to Nevers and was mobbed by the crowd. I forgot to mention that I was assigned three cars for my regular rounds. One, a La Buire limousine with a French chauffeur, always made me feel like a stuffed shirt, so I never used it. It came in very handy after the armistice for my lieutenants to haul liquor in, though. Another car was a Hispano-Suiza capable of a hundred kilometers or better per hour, driven by a wild little Argentinian who spent most of his time proving the top speed of the car. This, over French roads which had been cut up badly, proved rather tough on the car, and it was in the shop for repair more often than not. So the one car on which I could depend was a good American Dodge with an army chauffeur. That afternoon, we drove to Nevers, and my corporal driver, who was younger than I and better looking, fortunately took the front line barrage of kisses and huge as our car was stopped by delirious women folk.

A few of the gals were quite good looking, as I recall it now, but I let the enlisted man do most of the work, as was proper and fitting for a commanding officer.

After the armistice, things began to slack off, and we had time to make ourselves comfortable. We built a very nice headquarters with a big fireplace of excess material on hand, and I also built a dance hall and clubroom for enlisted men and supplied it with a couple of pianos gleaned from the Y.M.C.A. I found the latter organization very accommodating, in spite of bitter feeling which it seemed to have engendered in some quarters. I sent many hundreds of enlisted men, both white and colored, to leave resorts maintained by the Y, and they all had an excellent rest and a good time.

One evening in December, I invited a few French officers of the Genie to dinner. The fireplace was prodigally blazing with army briquettes, and it was a cold and drizzling day outside. One of my guests—a French Major—walked up to the fireplace, and warmed his hands. He turned to me, and remarked in English, "To him that hath it shall surely be given, says the Good Book."

I asked him to explain. He said, "In a French officers' mess, those coals would do for a week's fires."

We all seemed terribly extravagant to French eyes. But there were plenty of peasants ready to take advantage of it. Eggs trebled in price, and trebled again, and for all liquors there was a special price called the "prix Americaine".

Soon the army game clamped down on us. We were required to spend our days in paper work. I had already submitted a full report and accounting for the hospital at Saint Parize, and there was little to do, in the way of constructive action. It soon became evident to us all that we stood not a chance of getting home till the following summer on account of lack of transport facilities. But to spend our time in futile preparation of morning reports and company reports and innumerable other army red tape requirements which were only destined for extinction in that morass known as "The Files" was not my nature, nor did it suit my book. When I found that I had to sign my name five hundred times to send twenty of my boys on leave, I trained four top sergeants to sign my name and copy my signature realistically, and began to look aroud a bit to see if there was not some fun to be gotten out of France. Before the armistice, the Army had pretty much let us do our jobs by civilian methods, because the need of getting work done at once was very evident. But after the armistice, we had to do everything according to army routine; and that meant getting very little accomplished.

I remember one incident which galled me a little. One January evening, I came home from Nevers and found on my table a note from my best top sergeant, Quinliven, saying, "Am in the guardhouse at Base Hospital. Please come and get me out."

Naturally, I sent an orderly down to this particular unit—one of the 2,000 bed units which I had constructed—instructing the adjutant of the medical corps that he had better release an enginer sergeant on his own recognizance at once; and referred him to Army Regulations. Soon, back came my sergeant, very downcast.

"What did they put you under arrest for, sergeant?"

"For dancing with a nurse at a medic party down at the base, sir."

"H-mm! There was a gal named Eve once, sergeant. What were you doing down there?"

"Just walking past, and stopped to watch them. One of the nurses I knew asked me to dance one with her. Now they insist on preferring charges against me in your court. What will I do, sir?"

(to be continued)

A healthful hunger for a great idea is the beauty and blessedness of life. —Jean Ingelow

COUNTY DEVELOPMENT OF WATER RESOURCES URGED BY LINDSAY

Supervisors of mountain counties of the state may develop water resources within their county boundaries, under a bill introduced in the state legislature by Assemblyman Francis Lindsay, representing the sixth district. The bill has passed the assembly and was given a do-pass recommendation by the senate committee on local government by a 5 to 4 vote last week.

Under the measure, AB 401, the county supervisors may develop powerhouses to supplement the cost of irrigation water within their own counties.

Voting for Assemblyman Lindsay's bill in senate committee was Senator Jess Mayo of Angels Camp. Senator Harold Johnson of Placer county voted against the measure.

In presenting his bill before the committee, Lindsay said:

"This bill is designed to give the mountain counties the right to proceed with plans at this time to protect their last remaining natural resource — water." He pointed out that the valley counties have the chance for industrial expansion to provide a tax base to support the rising cost of county government, but that the mountain counties are in "a dire predicament in that their mines are practically shut down and their logging operations have less than 25 years of operation ahead of them".

Lindsay, who represents the counties of Nevada, Placer, El Dorado, Amador, Calaveras, Alpine, Tuolumne, Mariposa, Inyo and Mono, said these counties are not able to make the developments themselves on their water resources to provide water for their lands, thereby increasing the productivity of those lands and in turn increasing their valuation without developing power also. "Frankly," he said, "without the very real possibility of securing some actual revenues for county business from the production of hydroelectric power, these counties are faced with an unbearable tax burden".

Lindsay's bill was vigorously supported by Senator Mayo, who represents Tuolumne, Calaveras and Mariposa counties, while Senator Johnson, on the other hand, opposed the measure. The latter represents Sierra, Nevada and Placer counties. Members of the county boards of supervisors of the ten counties represented in Lindsay's district requested that the bill be introduced and are supporting the meausre.

Senator Johnson based his stand against the bill on the premise that it was not necessary for the supervisors to develop the water—that the bureau of reclamation would do it. Johnson is president of the American River Development league which was formed to facilitate development of the American river by the bureau and the exporting of the water of the river away from the counties of origin to the Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys.

Present at the committee meeting were Supervisors Paolini, Paoli and Boyington of Placer county and Tom Pugh, representing the Placer county planning commssion. Others in attendance included Supervisor Corburn of Amador county; Supervisors Wheeler and Bradshaw of Mariposa county and Supervisor A. J. Ganelli of Calaveras county.

"There is no question that the bill will provide the basis for far-reaching changes in the mountain counties," Lindsay said, "in that for the first time the local people will be able to develop their own resources as they see fit for their benefit and for the future welfare of the counties in which the water originates.

Asks Injunction For Blockading Easement

Tom Ridinger is asking an injunction be granted by Nevada county superior court restraining Will Cole from blockading an easement on property belonging to Cole that Ridinger has used for twenty years to take his cattle to pastureland.

Ridinger charges Cole with padlocking a gate on the easement. The two ranchers live in the McCourtney road district.

John R. Couzens, Auburn, is attorney for plaintiff.

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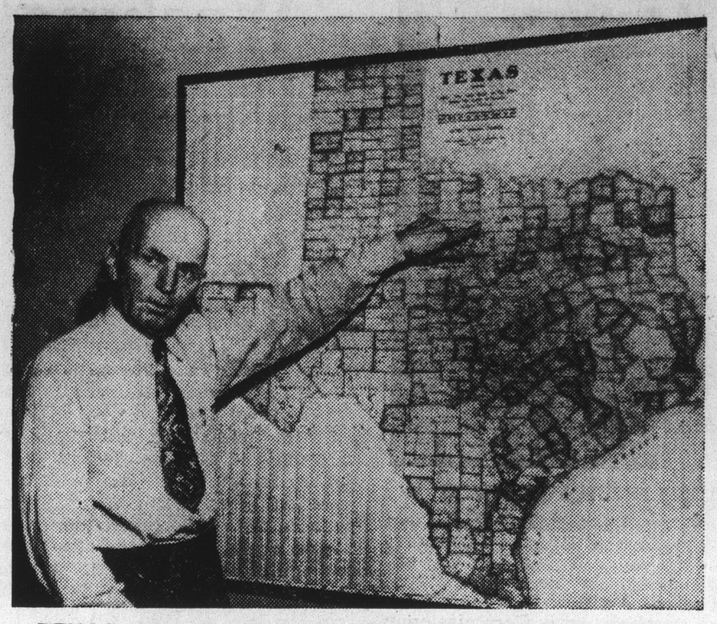

TEXAS WHEAT STORAGE CHARGES ARE REVIEWED

WACO, TEX.—J. Walter Hammond, president of the State Farm Bureau, points to the north Texas area where the wheat harvest is under way as he reviews charges that the storage situation is forcing wheat prices down in Texas. He says many elevators refuse to store grain for farmers so that they can get full government support price, but have ample room for grain bought below support.

Veterans' News

In order to receive prompt replies to letters addressed to the veterans administration, veterans are urged to "write right" by fully identifying themselves.

The annual volume of mail received by VA totals more than 125,000,000 pieces.

The VA district 12 area (California, Arizona, Nevada and Hawaii) with more than 1,500,000 veterans received more than 14,000,000 pieces of mail during the 12 months ending May 31.

Each piece of incoming mail requires an answer or some administrative action. With the cases of a million and a half veterans, plus thousands of dependents, in their files it is imperative that each veteran fully identify himself when writing the VA.

If the veteran observes the following simple rules he will expedite his correspondence with VA:

1. Write only when absolutely necessary.

2. When writing, include full name, army or navy service number, address and C-number (if assigned one by VA), or N-number (if letter pertains to G. I. insurance.)

Each day's mail brings some letters which defy reply. Letters are received with only the signature of "John Johnson" or "Sam Smith". There are thousands of Johnson and Smiths in VA files.

Question: Is there any way I may get a waiver or an adjustment on the amount I owe VA on my defaulted GI loan? The default resulted through no fault of mine.

Answer: A committee on waivers and compromises has been established in each VA regional office and at central office in Washington, D. C., with authority to determine in each case whether all or part of the amount paid in settlement of a veteran's defaulted loan is to be waived, collected or otherwise adjusted. The central office committee will have original jurisdiction cases involving more than $2,500; the regional office committees, in cases below $2,500.

Question: Does a veteran have to be honorably discharged to be awarded monetary benefits by VA?

Answer: Under existing laws, it is not necessary for a veteran to have an honorable discharge to be awarded benefits. However, it is necessary that he be discharged under conditions other than dishonorable.

Question: As a World War II veteran, will I have to pay a fee to have someone represent me in my claim for benefits for VA?

Answer: If you are represented by an official of an accredited service organization or the American Red Cross, there is no fee. If you are represented by a lawyer or agent who has been admitted to practice before VA, such attorney or agent is permitted to charge $10 in an original claim, or $2 in a claim for increased benefits.

LINDSAY OPPOSED TO ADDITIONAL RACING

Opposition to additional horse race tracks in the state was voiced yesterday by Assemblyman Francis C. Lindsay of Loomis as he voted against a senate bill to permit the California horse racing board granting additional licenses to proposed new race tracks.

"If this bill were to become law there would be no limit to the number of new tracks in California," Lindsay said. He pointed out that each new track would cost the educational institutions and fairs over $500,000 annually in lost revenue.

Under the present law, a county of the first class is allowed 100 days of racing, except for fair racing. If four tracks were licensed, each would have only 25 days, according to Lindsay. The purses, the amount wagered and the breakage to the state would be lessened or eliminated, the legislator asserted, and the fair and exposition fund would be greatly reduced.

"Racing is California's only and real big major sport," Lindsay said. "This proposed measure would cheapen the quality of racing, reduce revenues to the state, cause confusion in dates for meets, conflict with public opinion, and greatly reduce purses to the breeding industry. More state income results from one 45-day meet than from two 25-day meets," he added.

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STATE WILL STUDY TALC DEPOSITS HERE

Deposits of talc and clays in Nevada and Placer counties will be investigated this summer for their commercial possibilities, Lauren Wright, division of mines geologist informed the membership and friends of the California Hydraulic Mining association at its meeting in Hotel Freeman in Auburn Sunday.

The geologist talked on talc deposits in California, many of which have a commercially productive record. He said that numerous deposits could be found in the two counties. Plans of the state division of mines call for a study of these Placer-Nevada talc deposits before the close of the year.

The CHMA meeting, which followed a 1 p.m. informal luncheon, was very well attended. George Hallock was in charge.

The California Hydraulic Mining association was informed the corps of engineers, U. S. army, was extending the access road to the North Fork dam on the American river a distance of 300 feet or more and providing a platform for the use of fishermen and their boats.

Third Degree at N.C. Masonic Lodge No. 13

A special meeting of Nevada City Lodge No. 13, F. and A. M. will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be third degree, with officers of Standard Lodge No. 440 of Oakland filling the chairs. All officers and members have been requested to be present. A welcome has ben extended visiting brothers by George Legg, W. M. and J. F. Stenger, secretary.

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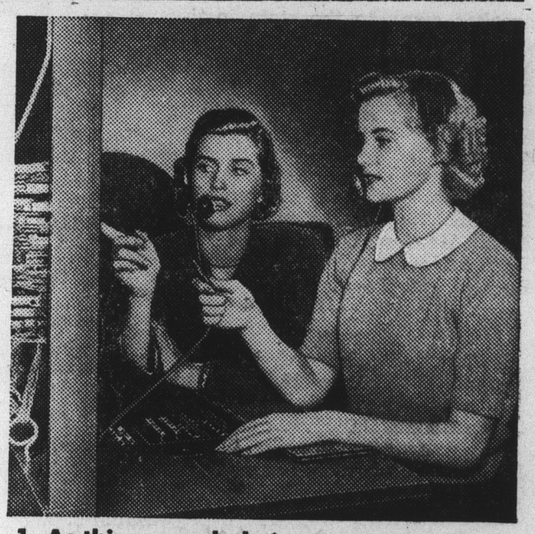
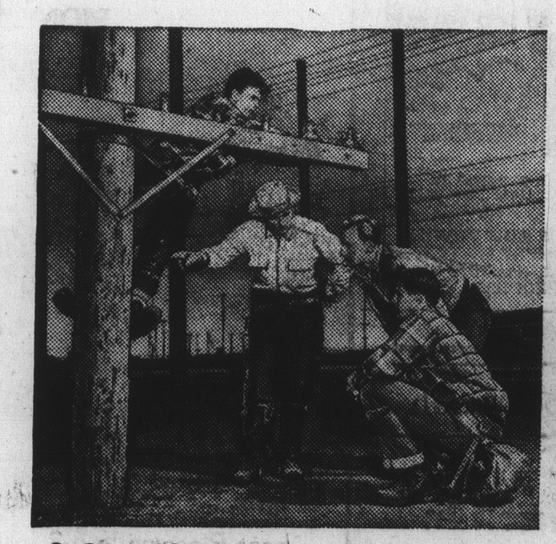
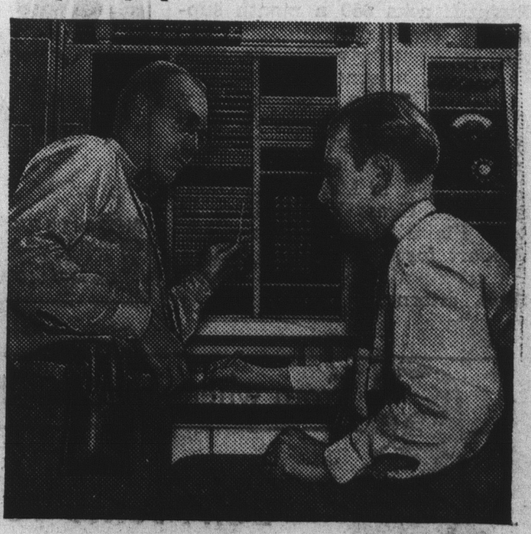


1. As this young lady learns to use a training switchboard, she'll also learn many things that will be mighty important to good service. All through her training she'll see how operators make courtesy and helpfulness a normal part of their jobs. And the same spirit is present as other telephone people learn their new skills.



2. On stubby poles like these, linemen learn to use their new climbing equipment. This is just one of the more than one hundred courses that telephone people study in towns large and small—up and down the Coast. In 1948, thousands of employees received training. That means thousands of men and women better able to furnish good service to you.



3. On-the-job-training here in the West is typified by this "student" who is learning the workings of a trouble indicator frame—an automatic detective that constantly makes sure the lines on its "beat" are giving good service. Even experienced employees take refresher courses like this to keep up-to-date . . . and keep learning their way up the ladder.

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PLACERVILLE TO INVADE NEVADA CITY SUNDAY

The powerful Bartletts of Placerville, 1948 champions of the Placer-Nevada League, invade Pioneer Park Sunday afternoon to open the second half of league play. The Bartletts are loaded with long-range hitters and with Tamo released from the local club, the visitors now boast the best pitcher in the league, Big Bill Clemenson, former Sacramento Solon hurler.

The Bartletts also have the classiest outfielder in the league, Centerfielder Pelligrini. Whitmyre, shortstop, is second only to Nevada City's Jake Goldsberry as a ball hawk.

Marvin Haddy, local manager, announced the release Monday of Paul Tamo and Bruce Selander, imported players from Modesto. Haddy has signed Latina, former ace southpaw pitcher of the Auburn Cubs.

Haddy said Latina will probably start against the Bartletts. Latina was released by Auburn after the Cubs adopted a policy of no paid players. He hurled a 13-inning win against Placerville for Auburn earlier in the season.

Haddy announced the lineup will be approximately the same except the manager will play right field. Tony Kosinski, leading the league in batting, will move to left to replace Perry, who was released after Sunday's game with Folsom. Painter will play second.

BARRETT REAPPOINTED PROBATION OFFICER FOR NEVADA COUNTY

Thomas J. Barrett, Grass Valley was re-appointed probation officer for Nevada county at a meeting Tuesday of the Nevada county probation committee in the court house.

The committe, headed by Cedric Porter, discussed the need in Nevada county for a detention home or "juvenile hall."

Barrett explained the county must either send a young lawbreaker away to the state institution where he is branded as a criminal, or hold the juvenile in the county ail. The other alternative is to release the youngster without any form of punishment.

The following are members of the juvenile committee: Irene V. Bennett, M. Henry Argall, John Edwin Keegan, Wilma S. Jefford, Bernice Penrose, and Douglas Barrett and Porter.

Births

GREEN—At Miners' hospital, Nevada City, June 13, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Robert Green, Grass Valley, a daughter.

THOMAS—In Nevada City, June 15, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thomas, Grass Valley, a daughter.

Divorces

STURNI—In Nevada City, June 15, 1949, Kathryne Sturni against Albert Sturni, charging cruelty. Couple married Oct. 1, 1944, in Newark, N. J., separated in Grass Valley Jan. 5, 1949. Plaintiff asks $50 a month support of one minor child. No community property. William J. Cassettari, attorney.

BURNETT—In Nevada City, June 16, 1949, Georgia A. Burnett vs. Burley H. Burnett, grounds cruelty. Couple married Jan. 7, 1929, in McAllister, Okla., separated Grass Valley June 13, 1949. Plaintiff asks $150 a month support for four minor children. No community property. Vernon Stoll, attorney.

Placer-Nevada League

	W	L	Pct
Colfax	7	2	.778
Roseville W.R.	7	2	.778
Lincoln	6	3	.667
Placerville	5	3	.625
Nevada City	5	4	.556
Grass Valley	5	4	.556
Folsom	4	5	.444
Auburn	3	6	.333
Truckee	2	6	.250
Roseville A.C.	0	9	.000

Last Sunday's Scores

Colfax 17, Auburn 13.
Lincoln 5, Truckee 2.
Folsom 17, Nevada City 4.
Grass Valley 11, Roseville AC 2.

Score Saturday Night

Placerville 5, Roseville W. R. 4.

Game Saturday Night

Roseville W.R. in Roesville A.C.

Games Next Sunday

Lincoln in Colfax.
Placerville in Nevada City.
Auburn in Grass Valley.
Folsom in Truckee.

Foothill League

NORTHERN DIVISION

	W	L	Pct
Foresthill	3	0	1.000
Placerville 49ers	3	0	1.000
Auburn	2	1	.667
Grass Valley	1	2	.333
Nevada City	0	2	.000
Colfax	0	2	.000
Georgetown	0	2	.000

Scores last Sunday

Foresthill 6, Colfax 5.
Placerville 49ers 20, Grass Valley 3.
Auburn 18, Nevada City 1.
Georgetown bye.

Games next Sunday

Foresthill in Auburn.
Nevada City in Placerville.
Colfax in Georgetown.
Grass Valley bye.

SOUTHERN DIVISION

	W	L	Pct
Lincoln	2	0	1.000
Placerville Outl.	2	1	.667
Rocklin	2	1	.667
Jackson	1	1	.500
Newcastle	1	1	.500
Loomis	1	2	.333
Brown Bombers	0	3	.000

Scores last Sunday

Placerville Outl. 3, Newcastle 1.
Loomis 8, Brown Bombers 5.
Rocklin 3, Jackson 2.
Lincoln bye.

Games next Sunday

Placerville Outlaws in Lincoln.
Loomis in Newcastle.
Rocklin in Jackson.
Brown Bombers bye.

Dog Club Organization Meeting Tonight At Kuska Ridge Home

Organization meeting of a dog or kennel club will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Ralph W. Kuska home, Ridge road, three-quarters of a mile west of the state forestry office. A representative of a kennel club from Sacramento will be present to help in the organization of the club.

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BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL BARS LIFTED FOR OWEN

WINNER, S.D.—Harold J. Volz, sponsor of the semi-pro ball team here, shakes hands with Mickey Owen, former Brooklyn Dodgers star catcher, after learning that Mickey is again eligible for big league baseball. Owen, who has been managing the Winner team, was one of the players who jumped to the Mexican League. These players were barred from organized baseball until Commissioner Chandler's recent decision reinstated them.

TEACHERS SALARIES POSTPONED TO JUNE 20 MEET BY BOARD

Fixing a salary schedule for teachers in the Nevada City unified school district was taken under advisement following discussions by the board of trustees in its monthly meeting at the elementary school Tuesday night.

An adjourned meeting has been set for Monday for further consideration of a salary schedule similar to the type employed by other districts throughout the state.

The board appointed Mrs. Vivian Billick, experienced former Nevada City teacher, to the teaching staff of the elementary school for the next school year. She will fill the vacancy made recently by the resignation of Mrs. Doris Foley.

The board renewed the contract of William Tobiassen, music instructor who taught in both elementary and high schools during the past year.

At the June 20 meeting the board is expected to review applications for other teaching positions in the high school, including athletic coach and home economics teacher. These two posts were made vacant when the two teachers announced they planned to continue their university studies during the coming year.

LIONS CLUB COMMITTEE HEADS ARE SELECTED

Keith Macdonald, newly-elected Lions club president, named committee chairmen to head the club's activities during the coming year at the regular dinner meeting Wednesday night at the Deer Creek Inn.

The administrative committee leaders are: Cliff Jacobsen, finance; Lewis Moran, programs; George Campbell, publicity; Chet Murchell, membership; Dr. C. N. Kerrin, convention; Judge James Snell, constitution and bylaws; Chuck Hilpert, education; Howard Jones, attendance.

The activities committee chairmen are: Dr. Walter Mullis, health and welfare; Bill Mullis, sight, conservation and blind committee; Milton Anderson, safety; Bud Percy, boys and girls; Bernard Braschler, citizenship and patriotism; Onda Smith and Walt Russell, civic improvement; Howard Smith, education.

An interesting lecture was presented by Sam Partridge of Grass Valley, sportsman and scout leader who has photographed in color more than 300 lakes in Nevada county. He displayed pictures of 150 of the larger lakes to his audience.

Partridge explained that he had hiked to all the lakes himself in order to take the color pictures.

Washington Notes

By Congressman Clair Engle

MINING ASSESSMENT WORK

The house and senate conferees met this week on the mining assessment moratorium legislation. You will recall the house passed a bill giving a three months' extension of time until Oct. 1 for assessment work to be completed for this year. The senate amended the house bill providing for another year's moratorium. The house conferees accepted the senate provision for a year's moratorium providing that miners who have done their work will get credit for it on the next assessment year. Last year congress granted a moratorium eight days before the expiration of the time to complete assessment work. That resulted in penalizing the diligent miners who had already done their work. Such a result this time will be avoided. However, the bill has to get the approval of the president and both the bureau of land management and the bureau of mines have indicated a veto will be recommended. The measure is now at the White House and the president has ten days to act upon it.

HEARING SET ON FEE

Several weeks ago I mentioned a controversy that exists between resort operators and the forest service over a new fee scheduled on special use permits involving commercial operations in the national forests.

The operators contend the forest service set up its new schedule without proper notice or public hearing, and that in many cases the fees were placed so high that undue hardship has resulted to permittees. The forest service on the other hand asserts sufficient notice was given, and that the fees previously charged were too low to give a fair return to the government for the resort concessions.

In order to help break the impasse a meeting has tentatively been scheduled for July in San Francisco between top officials of the forest service and permittees. All phases of the fee schedule will be discussed and every effort will be made to settle on a program mutually satisfactory to the permittees and the government. The date and place of the meeting will be announced by the forest service and the permittees associations.

FOLSOM DAM BILL TO COMMITTEE

The senate committee on interior and insular affairs has appointed a subcommitte headed by Senator Murray of Montana to hear the testimony on the Folsom dam legislation. Getting this subcommittee appointed is a significant step forward in view of the crowded calendar in the senate committee. We hope to get to hearings very shortly.

MINING RELIEF BILL PASSES

The house last week passed a measure, of which I am author, to compensate the producers of strategic and critical minerals and metals who through no fault of their own suffered losses in endeavoring to supply those materials during the war. A similar measure, though different in terms, has passed the senate committee and is pending on the senate calendar.

VISITORS FROM DISTRICT

Recent visitors here from the district have been Mr. and Mrs. Link Peckinpah of Quincy, en route to attend the Rotary convention in New York; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ward of Placerville—Mrs. Ward received a special award from the forest service for meritorious service; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan of Corning; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ahlstrom of Dunsmuir; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wendell of Dunsmuir; Mr. and Mrs. Swift Berry of Camino, El Dorado county; Mr. and Mrs. George Lueck of Mt. Shasta City; Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Long of Dunsmuir; Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Ross of Roseville; Mr. and Mrs. William Liddicoet of Diamond Springs; Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Oliver, recently of Westwood, now of Altadena.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Don't Fence Yourself In

Every spring, Handy Peterson and Easy Roberts patch up the stone wall that separates their farms. They walk along talking—Easy on one side, Handy on the other—picking up the fallen stones and putting them back.

Afterwards, over a friendly glass of beer, Easy says, "You know, wall-mending is a nice neighborly custom, but we really don't need that wall. We keep it up just because it happens to be there."

"Yes," says Handy, "a lot of walls and fences and boundaries keep on separating people for no good reason. Maybe we'd all be better off if some of them were torn down, instead of kept standing."

From where I sit, Handy said a mouthful. Take the "walls of intolerance" that people build up against each other. I like a temperate glass of beer now and then, you may prefer buttermilk—but that's no reason for me to criticize you, or you, me. Let's live and let-live *together*—making *more* friends and *fewer* "walls."

Joe Marsh

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Society and Club News

Laurel Parlor Observes Flag Day Wednesday

Laurel Parlor No. 6, Native Daughters of the Golden West held regular session Wednesday evening with first vice president, Byrl Granholm, acting for President Christina Kite, who is out of town on vacation and to attend the N. D. G. W. grand parlor assembly which convenes July 20 in San Jose. Other delegates who are attending the session are Mary Shipley and Esther Tremaine, Jr.

Ritualistic rites were conferred on an initiate, Mrs. Sigourney, with the officers doing the work most beautifully.

Deputy Grand President Carrie Berryman of Manzanita Parlor No. 29 was present and warmly greeted.

Committee chairmen made reports on their progress in the activities for the centennial celebration being held July 4. Laurel parlor is entering a float and also joining with the Native Sons of Hydraulic parlor in a hospitality center at the National Hotel to greet visitors attending the centennial celebration. Sarah Charonnat is chairman of this committee for Laurel parlor.

Girl Scout Leaders Elsie De Mattei and June Kelly gave interesting talks on the vacation camp grounds for Girl Scouts near Scott's Flat dam, and stated anyone who wished could donate the cost of two weeks' vacation ($17.50) for some worthy Scout, who perhaps will be unable to finance this amount, and bring happiness to one worthy of it.

Honoring Flag Day, a splendid program was presented in the reading of beautiful and descriptive poems of our "Stars and Stripes" by Deputy Grand President Berryman, Nellie Clark, Byrl Granholm, Mary Shipley and Anna Tucker, with the Pledge, and the singing of the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner" by all those present.

Nellie Clark and Anna Tucker were the hostesses, and at prettily appointed tables, where flags predominated in a lovely setting.

Lovely refreshments were served and greatly enjoyed, and Nellie and Anna received a vote of thanks. After the social hour all adjourned until the next meeting n July.

SWEETLAND NEWS

By Roberta Stuart

Mrs. Annie Bean, formerly of French Corral, and now living in San Francisco, has returned home from the hospital.

Frank Addelman presided at a meeting of North San Juan Farm Center Friday at Wood's hall. Floats in the Cherry Carnival and Festival were discussed by the gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Young have opened a garage in Willow Spring in connection with their tavern.

North San Juan's Women's club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Stella Sauer at Sweetland. Outdoor pot-luck luncheon was held at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Lillian Wolf presided. Mrs. Alta Atchinson brought the mystery box and guessing games were enjoyed.

Pat Browning, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Browning of French Corral, received his first communion at North San Juan Catholic Church Sunday, last week.

Jack Hatfield, driving a truck and trailer loaded with lumber overturned and spilled lumber down the bank when the shoulder of a road near Shady creek caved in under the weight of the vehicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Peterson are in their new home in the Sweetland district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leonard of Downieville bought the Jim Lake place near Birchville.

Many relatives gathered at the Fannie Moulton home to wish her a happy anniversary of her birthday.

Mrs. Fannie Moulton was presented a pen and pencil set at the meeting of Columbia Parlor No. 70, Native Daughters of the Golden West, in French Corral.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Martin of Twenty-Nine Palms is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ruby Bridges, and grandmother, Mrs. Porter of North San Juan.

George Harper sold his place in North San Juan to Mr. and Mrs. Slankard and has gone to the desert for his health.

R. Bridges of North San Juan has gone to Jackson to work on a road building job.

Thomas Jefferson conceived the principle upon which certain modern secret codes are based.

Church Notes

Community Baptist Church

311 Commercial Street

Rev. John A. MacDonald, pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.

11 a.m.—Morning worship, "The Godly Father."

7:30 p.m.—Evening service, "The Return of the Native."

Trinity Episcopal Church

Max L. Christensen, rector

June 19, 1949

First Sunday after Trinity

9:45 a.m.—Church school.

11 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon.

Thursday, 4 p.m.—Junior choir practice.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Senior practice under the direction of Mrs. Marian Libbey.

Pentecostal Church of God

116 Sacramento Street

Austin Allen, pastor

10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
7:45 p.m.—Evening service.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m., evangelistic message.

St. Canice Church

Father William Daly, pastor

Sundays—8 and 10:30 a.m.
Holy days—7:15 and 9 a.m.
Week days—8 a.m.

Christian Science Church

Christian Science society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the church on Boulder street.

Sunday school will be at 9:45 a.m.

Testimonial meeting first Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m.

Our reading room is now located in the church edifice, 114 Boulder street and is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, holidays excepted, from 2 to 4 p.m.

"The earth is the Lord's, and the fullness thereof; the world, and they that dwell therein" (Psalms 24.1). This verse is the Golden Text of the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for Sunday, June 19. The subject of the sermon is "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"

Included in the sermon are the following citations:

The Bible: "I will open my mouth in a parable: I will utter dark sayings of old: Which we have heard and known, and our fathers have told us. We will not hide them from their children, shewing to the generation to come the praises of the Lord, and his strength, and his wonderful works that he hath done. For he established a testimony in Jacob and appointed a law in Israel, which he commanded our fathers, that they should make them known to their children" (Psalms 78: 2-5).

"Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "We tread on forces. Withdraw them, and creation must collapse. Human knowledge calls them forces of matter; but divine Science declares that they belong wholly to divine Mind, are inherent in this Mind, and so restores them to their rightful home and classification" (p. 124).

Methodist Church

Dahlgren E. Casey, pastor

9:45 a.m.—Church school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship, children's program.
Rev. Casey is at a Methodist church conference in Stockton.

Coffee was considered an intoxicating beverage by early Mohammedan priests.

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LOOKING AHEAD

BY GEORGE S. BENSON
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Why Name Calling?

The calling of names is a propaganda technique based on delusion and trickery. It has been common in politics for a long time, and has done its part to give politics a bad reputation among the people in general.

Americans are accustomed to a certain amount of this in election campaigns. But surely we have not come to the place where we expect it in the halls of Congress. In legislative sessions, when serious national problems are being discussed, it is a bit disturbing to hear so much name-calling. Any American has the right to disagree with another and to speak out his mind. But it is not necessary always to discredit those who disagree with us.

Freedom Is Fragile

The worst thing that has happened in America in the last twenty years has been the tendency to divide our people into class groups. Our country has long been known as the "melting pot," where immigrant lads and backwoods boys can become bankers and industrialists. High born or low born, rich or poor, in America it never really has mattered. The important thing in America is that a man may plan and live out his own dream.

Some folks apparently have forgotten that these freedoms of ours are fragile and perishable. Unless we attend to the keeping of each of them, it is possible to lose them all. The building of class consciousness is one of the very worst things we can do to our American life. It could be the entering wedge of all kinds of "isms," any one of which in time might well put us in chains.

Unwholesome Effect

The term "big business" is used as name-calling by unthinking persons and by those who have isms up their sleeves. Name-calling of business, big or little or any size, can have nothing but an unwholesome effect upon the American scene. A U.S. Senator was quoted in the press recently as saying: "It appears that big business would rather risk a continued inflation of prices than balance the budget through increased taxes."

You see, all the people of the nation are paying about a third of their total income in taxes. Must anyone who believes that taxes should not be raised be placed on the receiving end of a name calling campaign? One Senator on the Senate Labor Committee keeps branding as "fascist" certain of those who oppose increased taxation.

Public Opinion

Does this mean the Senators cannot make out a reasonable case for increased taxes? Does it mean that they can defend the case for higher taxes only by hanging ugly tags on those who oppose tax increases?

If we must try to turn labor against management—if we must turn the public in general against employers who are providing millions of jobs at the highest wages ever earned—then I am afraid we have reached a level that signals the end of our American way and our high standard of living.

Have you heard Dr. Benson and the radio drama "Land of the Free"? Check your local station for time.

Girl Scouts Prepare For Summer Camping

Girl Scouts of the area are taking physical examinations this week preparatory to a two-weeks' summer camp to start Sunday at Scott's Flat dam. Miss Nancy Morrison from southern California, will be director of the camp, according to an announcement yesterday by Mrs. Mary Kohler, commissioner for Nevada City.

Edith Monsigner, national Girl Scout chairman, Palo Alto, gave recommendations of camp procedure at a dinner last night at the National hotel to members of the regional staff of Girl Scouts.

The staff includes Miss Alice Dillinger, Mrs. Louise Noyes, Mrs. Norene Dow, Mrs. Elsie De Mattei, Miss Elizabeth Wilson and Miss Diane Davis.

Others helping to complete plans are Mrs. Ida Cullen, Mrs. Warrene Paulson, Mrs. Adele Sturtevant and Mrs. Isabel Hefelfinger.

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New Garden Club Has First Meeting Here

A group of women from Bowman who recently formed the "Donner Garden club" met for luncheon Tuesday noon at the Deer Creek Inn. Mrs. Beatrice Renfree, president of the Nevada Cty Garden club, was their guest, and afterwards guided them through the R. J. Bennetts gardens.

Mrs. Florence Daniels was program chairman and presided in the absence of President Mrs. Lydia Hathaway.

Club members attending were Mrs. Beulah Funk, Mrs. Stella Funk, Mrs. Catherine Hull, Mrs. Winifred Johnson, Mrs. Leona Gillespie, Mrs. Mildred Stiles, and prospective members, Mrs. Lena Hill, Mrs. Mildred Haines, Mrs. Margaret Fuller, Mrs. Jerry Garner and Mrs. Frances Simson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bennetts were unable to accompany their guests through the lovely rock-terraced garden but welcomed them with cool drinks in the summer room of their home. Mrs. Bennetts, charter member of the Nevada City club, played selections on a beautiful old organ using music copied by hand by her father when a young organist in England.

Mr. Bennetts gave the visitors some interesting facts of early day history.

The Donner Garden club was delighted with the hospitality of Nevada City and the Bennetts and plan to return for other visits.

Soroptimist Club To Attend Barn Dance Saturday in Colfax

Several members of the Soroptimist club of Nevada City will go to Colfax, Saturday to the barn dance which is being sponsored by the Soroptimist club of that city for the benefit of the Colfax Area Living War Memorial Park.

Old clothes are the order of the evening for the dance at the Colfax Memorial hall, which will be decorated with harness and other articles found in a barn.

4000 MILE FLIGHT

BOSTON, MASS—Plucky four-year old Donna Lee Richardson, polio victim, smiles cheerfully as she tells her head nurse, Nancy Morse, all about her dramatic flight from Germany. She was stricken on April 12 at Berchtesgaden.

$14,400 BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED BY ASSESSOR SCADDEN

County Assessor P. G. Scadden issued $14,400 in building permits this week to Nevada county residents.

Arthur J. Mori, San Francisco, will build a $2,000 frame residence at the east end of Donner lake.

James McIven, Truckee, was issued a permit to build a $4,000 frame garage.

W. F. Fisher, Truckee, was given a permit a permit to build a $400 frame summer cottage.

Walter E. Gruenhagen, Nevada City, will construct a $8,000 frame residence on the old Washington road.

Camp Fire Girls Summer Season To Start on June 26

The Sacramento Camp Fire Girls Camp Minaluta will open June 26 at Lake Vera with approximately 100 girls a week taking part in the twentieth annual event.

Yuba-Sutter units will join with the Sacramento oganization and will be under the direction of Miss Lois Young, executive director of the Sacramento Camp Fire girls.

The summer activities at the camp will include dramatics, music, folk dancing, photography, archery, and other games and other sports.

This summer a special counselor-in-training course has been planned under the direction of Mrs. Marguerite T. Awes, executive director of the Yuba-Sutter Council of Camp Fire Girls.

RECENT GUESTS AT THE NATIONAL HOTEL

George Knudsen, Robert Huff, Sutter Creek; Mrs. Kleckner, Mrs. Rennaker, R. Carey, A. Hunter, Walnut Creek; Henry Pendell, W. M. Pendell, Norman W. Shaw, Berkeley; Herbert Paine, Henry Paine, Harold Hickman, L. V. Liston, Ross A. Little, Sacramento; Clara Anderson, Dean Sheperd, Marty Perez, J. W. Moffett, John Powers, Rae Embree, Los Angeles; Donald Beanston, D. Barnett, A. W. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Arbogast, D. Tilley, John R. Berry, C. W. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bergen, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gray, Roseville; Philip Cummins, North Bloomfield; A. A. Barron, Washington; Sgt. Carl H. Daloba, Muroc; Ray Watson, North San Juan; James Baskims, Red Bluff; Florence Allene, Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Baker, Stockton; Margaret Fulton, Portland, Ore.

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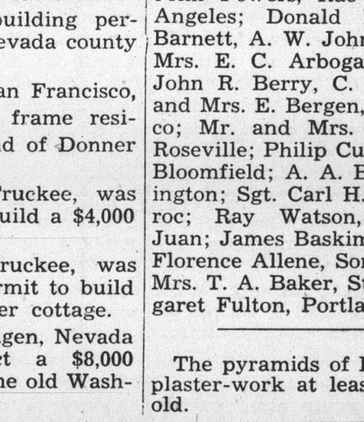

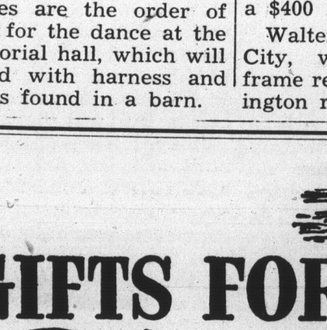

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New Colgate Powerhouse Starts Generating

Yuba Official Closes Switch Thursday Noon

The new Colgate hydroelectric plant of Pacific Gas and Electric company with an installed capacity of 40,200 horsepower, was officially placed in operation yesterday.

With a colorful switch-throwing ceremony in the presence of more than one hundred guests and company officials, the new powerhouse on the north fork of the Yuba river 35 miles north east of Marysville began pouring its electric output into the P. G. and E.'s far-flung transmission network.

Charles Coupe, chairman of the Yuba county board of supervisors, threw the switch that sent electric energy pulsing through the transformer banks into the transmission lines at 12:15 p.m.

E. C. Johnson, division manager at Marysville, served as host and chairman of the day. He was accompanied by N. R. Sutherland, vice-president and assistant general manager; I. C. Steele, vice-president and chief engineer; O. W. Peterson, enginer of general construction; H. W. Haberkorn, engineer of hydroelectric construction, and A. J. Swank, engineer of station construction, all from the general offices of the company in San Francisco.

Following the ceremony the guests were served luncheon and later were guided on a tour of the powerhouse. Among them were Marysville and Yuba public officials and representative groups of residents of the Yuba area.

The new Colgate plant stands on the site of the historic original plant which was in continuous operation for nearly fifty years. It is on the north fork of the Yuba river about four miles south of the town of Dobbins and some ten miles downstream from Bullards Bar.

With completion of the new installation he P. G. and E. has added a total of 593,200 horsepower to its generating resources since it launched its great expansion program in 1945. When the program is finished in 1951 the company will have placed on its lines nearly 2,000,000 horsepower of additional capacity, bringing its total electric facilities to approximately 4,000,000 horsepower.

The original Colgate was the second oldest generating plant of the P. G. and E. hydroelectric system. It was placed in operation Sept. 5, 1899, by the Yuba Electric Power company which a year later was merged into the newly formed Bay Counties Power company. Promoters of the project were John Martin and Eugene de Sabla of San Francisco, and Romulus R. Colgate, New York financier and member of the soap manufacturing family. The three men were pioneers in the development of hydroelectric generation in northern California.

The powerhouse was a stone and steel structure 264 feet long and 40 feet wide after it had been enlarged in its earlier years to house additional generators. The site was near the spot where the Missouri Bar trail of early days crossed the Yuba on the route between Dobbins and French Corral. The new powerhouse occupies the same site. The original equipment consisted of four Stanley inductor-type generators. By 1906 two additional Stanley machines and a Westinghouse revolving field generator rated at 9,300 horsepower had been added. One of the these veteran generators was destroyed in the fire of 1946 but the others, after repairs, continued in service until October, 1948, when the building was dismantled to make way for the new structure. Four of the generators had been in almost continuous operation for 49 years.

Seven overhung impulse wheels, five of them manufactured by the Risdon Iron Works and two by Doble, supplied the water power to drive the generators. They were fed by five riveted steel and cast-iron penstocks each 30 inches in diameter which dropped 1,184 feet down the mountain side from the forebay. Water was supplied by a flume 7.6 miles long from the diversion dam on the Yuba two miles below Bullards Bar reservoir, the principal storage source. The flume was 7 feet wide and 1 feet deep. This conduit was replaced in 1941 by a 4.6 mile tunnel. A wood stave pipe line and open flume from Lake Francis, a smaller reservoir two and one-half miles above Colgate, provided on additional flow both for the powerhouse and the Brown's ditch irrigation system.

Colgate powerhouse was the first to serve the San Francisco bay area with hydroelectric power. A line first was built from the plant 70 miles to Sacramento and in 1901 the Bay Counties Power company completed a 60,000-volt line to Oakland, a distance of 142 miles. At the time it was one of the earliest successful projects for long-distance voltage transmission of electric power. The Colgate-Oakland line was placed in operation April 27, 1901.

On Sept. 13, 1946, the old powerhouse was partially destroyed by fire and on October 6, 1948 the equipment was dismantled, the building torn down and construction of a modern concrete powerhouse begun.

The powerhouse is constructed of structural steel and reinforced concrete 69 feet 9 inches wide by 77 feet 3 inches long with a height of 99 feet from foundation to roof. The building has no windows, daylight being admitted by panels of glass blocks. The generating room is equipped with a 100-ton traveling bridge crane and 10-ton auxiliary hoist.

Generating equipment consists of one vertical-shaft, reaction-type, water-driven turbine and one Westinghouse 40,200 horsepower generator.

From the diversion dam, water from the Yuba river flows through a tunnel (built in 1941 for the old plant) 4.6 miles to the head of the penstock line through which it is dropped to the turbine at the powerhouse floor level. The penstock is a single line of 96-inch to 66-inch steel pipe 1,630 feet long from tunnel portal to turbine.

Junction of the penstock line and the tunnel portal is a sealed connection which provides a continuous flow of water from the headworks to turbine nozzle and thus adds the 110 foot fall of the tunnel to the elevation of the penstock heading above the powerhouse floor. Total static head (drop in elevation from headworks to turbine) is 820 feet.

When shutoff valves are closed, the pressure of flow from the headworks forces the water up the surge tank until the tunnel pressure is counter-balanced and the flow through the tunnel stopped. The Colgate surge "tank" is a steel pipe 96 inches in diameter laid on the surface up the slope from the point where the penstock leaves the tunnel. This pipe is 220 feet long and at its upper end joins a vertical section 40 feet high. A spill pipe will carry overflow into the ravine below.

Electric energy produced by the big generator passes through the transformers and circuit breakers of the large bus structure adjoining the powerhouse into 60,000-volt transmission lines to Nevada City, Grass Valley, Oroville, Allegheny, Bullards Bar and on major circuits to Sacramento and San Francisco bay points.

Bechtel corporation was the contractor for construction of the new plant. Consolidated Western Steel company fabricated and installed the penstock pipe. About 200 contractor's men and a supervisory crew of 40 P. G. and E men were employed in construction.

Closely connected with Colgate plant is the historic Brown's Valley ditch and irrigation system which has been in operation since 1888. The Brown's Valley Irrigation district was organized in that year and bonded for $160,000. A flume carrying 2,000 miner's inches of water was built but the venture proved a financial failure and in 1897 the flume was leased to John Martin, one of the pioneer builders of the present P. G. and E. system. The ditch at first served Martin's Yuba powerhouse, long since out of commission. When Colgate was built the old flume was replaced with a wooden conduit 7-feet wide and 5-feet deep. It carried 12,000 miner's inches and extended 7.6 miles from the headworks below Bullards Bar.

In 1941 the present tunnel was built and the old flume abandoned. Under John Martin's lease agreement wtih the irrigation district he was obligated to maintain the flume and supply water to the district in exchange for use of the water to operate the electric generators. That agreement still is in force and water still flows from the Colgate into the Brown's Valley ditch system.

HISS HEADS FOR COURT TO FIGHT PERJURY CHARGE

NEW YORK—Former State Department official Alger Hiss, (left) and his lawyer, Lloyd P. Stryker, enter New York City's Federal Court Building as Hiss' perjury trial began. He has been charged with lying when he tesified that neither he nor his wife had turned over copies of secret State Department documents to an admitted courier for a Communist spy ring. The accusations have been made by ex-Communist Whittaker Chambers.

MRS. BIGELOW DIES IN PACIFIC GROVE

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Pacific Grove for Mrs. Nora Hiatt Bigelow, widow of R. L. P. Bigelow, former supervisor of the Tahoe national forest.

Mrs. Bigelow, second wife of the forest supervisor, died of a heart attack suffered while she was working in her garden.

Mrs. Bigelow had no children. She is survived by sisters and brothers in other parts of California, and Mrs. Gwen Anderson, West Broad street, Bigelow's daughter by his first wife.

FOUR RESIDENTS ARE NATURALIZED JUNE 15

Mr. and Mrs. Giovanni Mochhi, 340 Long street, Nevada City, became naturalized citizens of the U. S. Wednesday morning in Judge James Snell's superior court.

Two Grass Valley residents also were naturalized. They are: Adeline Strick, former English citizen, 206 Bank street; and Mrs. Josephine Hooper Merrifield, native of Grass Valley, who lost her citizenship when she married an alien prior to Sept. 22, 1922. Her U. S. citizenship was restored when she applied for citizenship and took the oath of allegiance. She now lives at 432 Neal street.

Petitions for citizenship were filed by the four during the past six months. They were examined by Ed Sweeney, designated naturalization examiner of the Department of Justice, Naturalization service.

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 8655
FIRST AMENDED SUMMONS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

GEORGE L. JONES and GLENDOLYN MacBOYLE, Plaintiffs, vs. DANIEL COLE, SAMUEL W. BACKUS, R. D. LAIDLAW, PARIS KILBURN, D. E. NILES, S. K. THORNTON and B. J. WATSON, Trustees for the REWARD GOLD MINING COMPANY, a California corporation whose charter was forfeited for non-payment of corporate and license tax, ALFRED NICHOLSON as Administrator of the Estate of CONRAD WEISENBERGER, DECEASED, HARLETH M. BROCK and BELLE M. BROCK, his wife, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien and interest in the real property described in this complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto, Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, and the First Amended Complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, FRANK G. FINNEGAN, Attorney for Plaintiffs, Nevada City, California.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA send greetings to: DANIEL COLE, SAMUEL W. BACKUS, R. D. LAIDLAW, PARIS KILBURN, D. E. NILES, S. K. THORNTON and B. J. WATSON, Trustees for the REWARD GOLD MINING COMPANY, a California corporation whose charter was forfeited for nonpayment of corporate and license tax, ALFRED NICHOLSON as Administrator of the Estate of Conrad Weisenberger, Deceased, HARLETH M. BROCK and BELLE M. BROCK, his wife, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien and interest in the real property described in this complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto, DEFENDANTS.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced against you in the above entitled Court by the above entitled plaintiffs for the purpose of determining all adverse claims to and clouds upon the title to all that certain real property situate in the County of Nevada, State of California, described as follows, to wit:

The Reward and the Reward Consolidated Quartz Mines; designated by the Surveyor General as Mineral Lots 218 and 219 respectively, embracing a portion of Section 13, Township 16 North, Range 8 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear and answer the compaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this First Amended Summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the First Amended Complaint arising upon contract, or plaintiffs will apply to the court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, this 17th day of May, 1949.

R. E. DEEBLE, CLERK
By Rita E. Hutchison
Deputy Clerk
FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Attorney for Plaintiffs
Nevada City, Calif.
Publish June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 1949.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS

The undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a nursery business in the County of Nevada, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of

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and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

JOE W. RUESS, Route 1, Box 192, Colfax, California.

WITNESS my hand this 3rd day of June, 1949.

JOE W. RUESS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
County of Nevada)

On this 3rd day of June, 1949, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joe W. Ruess, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL)

FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Notary Public in and for said County and State
FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Attorney at Law
Nevada City, California.
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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 4963
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

In the Matter of the Estate of EDMUND JOHN COUGHLAN, also known as E. J. COUGHLAN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, as Administrator of the estate of Edmund John Coughlan, also known as E. J. Coughlan, Deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to said Administrator, at the law offices of FRANK G. FINNEGAN, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said EDMUND JOHN COUGHLAN, alias, Deceased.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1949.

WILLIAM S. COUGHLAN
Administrator
FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Attorney for Administrator
Nevada City, Calif.
Publish June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 1949.

No. 4982
NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL AND HEARING APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

In the Matter of the Estate of THOMAS JILBERT, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition for the Probate of the Will of THOMAS JILBERT, deceased, and for the issuance to LAUREN E. LANE of Letters of Administration with the Will Annexed has been filed in this Court, and that July 1, 1949, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day at the Courtroom of the above entitled Court, at the Court House, Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, have been set as the time and place for the hearing of said petition, when and where all persons interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted. For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said petition on file in my office.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1949.

R. E. DEEBLE, CLERK
By Russell Wilson
Deputy Clerk
CARROLL F. JACOBY,
Hearst Building,
San Francisco, 3, Calif.
Attorney for Petitioner.
Publish June 10, 17, 24, 1949.

No. 9286
SUMMONS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

C. A. BERAUDIERE, Plaintiff, vs. ALNEY C. FELT; LOUISE M. EDDIE; BERNICE EDDIE; and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto", Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said county.

JOHN L. LARUE
Attorney for Plaintiff
Nevada City, California

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

ALNEY C. FELT, LOUISE M. EDDIE, BERNICE EDDIE, and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto", Defendants.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the above entitled court by the above named plaintiff for the purpose of determining all adverse claims to and clouds upon the title to all that certain real property situate in the County of Nevada, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Parcel No. 1: All those portions of Lots Three (3), Four (4) and Five (5) of Block Thirty-five (35) of the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of California, as said lots and block are designated upon the official map of the City of Nevada made by H. S. Bradley in the year 1869, distributed to the State of California by the Decree Settling Account and for Distribution entered in the estate of Margaret Leddy, deceased, Nevada County, Probate No. 2228, dated July 3, 1941, not including however, those portions of Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Thirty-five (35) of the City of Nevada as said lots and block are designated upon the Official Map of the City of Nevada made by H. S. Bradley in the year 1869 described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot No. 4 which is 161.00 feet from the intersection of the West line of Bridge Street and the North line of Spring Street running thence North 71° 36′ West 44.00 feet along the North side of Spring Street to the Southwest corner of Lot 4, being also the Southeast corner of Lot 10, thence along the Westerly line of Lot 4 and the Easterly line of Lot 10, North 32° 48′ East 66.00 feet, thence South 64° 42′ East 35.70 feet, thence South 24° 48′ West 60.70 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel No. 2: All those portions of lots numbered Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Thirty-five (35) of the City of Nevada as said lots and block are designated upon the official map of the City of Nevada made by H. S. Bradley in the year 1869, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot No. 4 which is 161.00 feet from the intersection of the West line of Bridge Street and the North line of Spring Street running thence North 71° 36′ West 44.00 feet along the North side of Spring Street to the Southwest corner of Lot 4, being also the Southeast Corner of Lot 10, thence along the Westerly line of Lot 4 and the Easterly line of Lot 10, North 32° 48′ East 66.00 feet, thence South 64° 42′ East 35.70 feet, thence South 24° 48′ West 60.70 feet to the point of beginning.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, within ten days (10) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or within thirty (30) days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, this 21 day of April, 1949.

(Seal)

R. E. DEEBLE, Clerk
By Russell Wilson,
Deputy
Publish June 17, 24, July 1, 8, 1949.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ANNEXATION

WHEREAS a written petition has been duly filed with the Trustees of the City of Nevada, State of California, proposing that the hereinafter described territory be annexed to the City of Nevada.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 14th day of July, 1949, at 8:00 P.M. of said day is hereby fixed as the time when, and the Nevada City Hall as the place where, any person owning real property within the boundaries of the territory may show cause why said territory should not be so annexed.

2. That said territory is hereby designated as Southeast Nevada City.

3. That this resolution shall be published in the Nevada City-Grass Valley Nugget, a newspaper published in the said City of Nevada, once a week for two consecutive weeks prior to the 14th day of July, 1949.

4. That the boundaries of said territory proposed to be annexed and described in said petition, are particularly described as follows:

All that portion of Section Thirteen (13), Township Sixteen (16) North, Range Eight (8) East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the Easterly line of State Highway at the Southwesterly corner of the property of R. L. Michell, from which point the Southwest Corner of Nevada City Townsite bears North 17° 58′ West 1077.49 feet distant; thence from said point of beginning along the lines of the property of Michell and White, South 64° 09′ East 270.38 feet; thence North 18° 55′ East 350.64 feet to the Southeasterly corner of Cartoscelli lot; thence North 19° 07′ East 713.97 feet; thence North 56° 41′ East 249.45 feet, more or less, to the Southerly boundary of Nevada City Townsite; thence along Southerly line of said Townsite South 87° 44′ West 600.00 feet, more or less, to the Easterly line of said State Highway; thence along said Easterly line South 19° 30′ West 808.95 feet and thence South 19° 38′ West 321.42 feet to the place of beginning.

ADOPTED this 9th day of June, 1949.

Ayes: H. F. Sofge, Leo J. Cullen, William Mullis, Thomas H. Taylor.
Noes: None.
Absent: None.

A. B. INNIS
President of the Board of Trustees
Attest: Geo. H. Calanan
City Clerk
Publish June 17, 24, 1949.

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Local Ag Student Passes Vet Tests

John R. Davies, a student at the University of California College of Agriculture, has returned to Nevada City to spend his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Davies, at Dipper Valley ranch.

Having successfully completed the two years of pre-veterinary work, Davies has ben accepted to the four-year school of veterinary medicine. The basis for such selection is scholarship, experience with animals, and general aptitude. Davies, who intends to specialize in large animal work, will be one of 50 of the first class to enter the new California School of Veterinary Medicine building which is now nearing completion on the Davis campus.

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NO. SAN JUAN FESTIVAL PLANS NEAR COMPLETE

Plans are almost complete for the annual cherry festival at North San Juan Saturday and Sunday, June 25 and 26, according to Fred Conner, publicity chairman.

Selection of a carnival queen will feature the early part of the celebration. Following the tabulation of votes at the carnival queen's ball at Twamley hall Saturday night, the winning beauty will be announced.

The queen contest ends at midnight. Dancing will continue until 3 a.m., according to the committee chairman.

E. J. Kohler, chairman of the queen contest, announced contestants for the carnival queen are Margaret Dugan, Iola Estes, Katherine Caston, June Spees, Catherine Stops, Doris Turner, and Jeannie Ennis.

Final arrangements for the Sunday parade are being made by Ben Slankard, parade chairman. The parade will be led by the Nevada county sheriff's posse.

The committee arranging refreshments for the celebration include Mrs. Arthur Atchinson, Mrs. Ben Slankard, Mrs. E. J. Kohler, and Mrs. Vince. Arthur Atchinson is chairman of the centennial committee.

SWIMMING POOL IS PACKED ON OPENING DAY

Verle Gray, lifeguard at the municipal swimming pool in Pioneer park was a busy man Wednesday with the opening day of the 1949 season.

He reported better than 200 individuals used the pool the opening day, with the temperature at the 96 mark to help bring out the youngsters and oldsters to the pool.

Fred Bush, custodian of Pioneer park, said crowds are increasing at the picnic grounds at Pioneer park. He reported more than 500 picnicking persons have used the park facilities since it opened May 22.

Bush suggested groups or persons planning parties and picnics at the park should contact him in advance to assure accommodation. This should be done in order to avoid crowding of several groups into the grounds at the same time.

$50 TO GIRL SCOUT FUND

Nevada City Lionettes held its regular dinner meeting at the California Inn Wednesday night with a good attendance. It was announced at the meeting that $50 was raised for the Girl Scout camp fund by the recent Lionette fashion show.

The group also celebrated the birthday of Ollie Stewart with a cake. Ice cream with the cake served to husbands and members completed the evening.

Judge—"What started the trouble between you and the plaintiff?"

Defendant—"Well, your honor, it was like this. He threw a cup of hot tea over me; I hit him in the face with my bag of tools; then he broke a chair over my head — and the next thing we knew we were quarreling."

NAMED IN COPLON TRIAL

NEW YORK—Ruth Gruber, a free-lance writer, denied she was ever a "contact" for any foreign embassy and that she was ever secreary to Harold Ickes, former Secretary of Interior. She made the denial after an FBI report introduced in the spy trial of Judith Coplon stated that a Ruth Gruber, former secretary to Ickes, was reported to have been a contact of F. A. Garanin of the Soviet Embassy.

LOOKING AHEAD

BY GEORGE S. BENSON

President—Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

Is Bigness Bad?

Many critics of our American system use big business as a special target for their attacks. According to their charges, big business throttles competition, creates monopolies, maltreats labor, and kills small enterprises. Their attitude toward big business represents more than a natural dislike for bigness in business. It also shows their shrewdness in using the propaganda weapon to destroy our system.

If they should succeed in getting public opinion on their side, it soon would be reflected in legislation which could well destroy this segment of our economy, and eventually turn our entire economy into state socialism.

"Grown Up" Business

Big business is nothing but small business grown up. They grew up because the public allowed them to do so. No business can become big business without public approval. Public approval cannot be bought. It is earned through the hard-work process of competing against scores of other companies and giving John Q. Public a better washing machine, dress, or automobile for his money. As demand for a product grows, facilities must be increased to meet that demand. A business grows as the public, with its buying, dictates.

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As business grows, it becomes more efficient and makes possible real savings to the public. Our $1,500 mass produced automobile would cost $50,000 if built with the tools of 1900. Mass purchasing, production and distribution result in economies impossible to small business. Larger investment provides also the necessary extensive research demanded by keen competition.

This huge investment pays dividends to workers, too. Labor-saving tools multiply the productive capacity of the worker and ease the load from his back. This greater production allows him higher pay and shorter hours and puts him in a class far above workmen of any other nation.

Bad for Whom?

Small business has fared well in this progress story. You see, big business has created thousands of enterprises that owe their existence to its production. Without the huge output provided by the automotive industry, the average city would be without its many accessory stores, radiator shops, repair shops, filling stations, parking lots, and garages. Far from being exterminated, small business continues to develop.

Big business has made a striking contribution to our nation's prosperity and progress. As long as it is operated by human beings, there will be occasions for justifiable criticism. However, minor criticisms must not be allowed to destroy the true importance of big business to a growing nation. It is essential to a continued dynamic economy. The public, having created big business, will further prosper by its continuance.

Have you heard Dr. Benson and the radio drama "Land of the Free"? Check your local station for time.

Mine Owner Files Suit For Collection of Rent

Pete Andreotti, owner of Machinery Center, Grass Valley, filed suit in Nevada County Superior Court charging Ed Roselle, lessee of Andreotti's property on the Roberts location of the Coe Consolidated Quartz mine, with neither paying rent from Sept. 1, 1948, to June 1, 1949, totaling $742.50, nor surrendering the property. Andreotti asks the court for judgment or eviction.

William J. Cassettari, Grass Valley, is attorney for the plaintiff.

Tractor Company Asks Euipment Judgment

Marysville Tractor & Equipment Co., Marysville, filed suit in Nevada county superior court asking $498.92 judgment against W. C. Williams and Jake Stroh for non-payment of agreement to purchase equipment.

Frank G. Finnegan, Nevada City, is attorney for plaintiff.

The so-called Elephant Mound in Wisconsin is actually believed to be an effigy of a bear.

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MARY CRANE TO CONDUCT WATER SAFETY CLASS

Mrs. Mary Crane, Nevada City, was named by Red Cross Chapter Chairman Kief D. Melberg to attend the annual American Red Cross national training school for swimming instructors from June 19 to July 2 at La Honda.

Mrs. Crane, holder of Red Cross senior lifesaving certificate, will take the two-week course covering all phases of water safety and swimming instruction.

Following completion of the course Mrs. Crane will return to Nevada City to conduct a 30-day course in swimming and water safety at the Nevada City municipal pool in Pioneer park.

Mrs. Crane's appointment was announced officially Tuesday night at the monthly meeting of the Nevada City chapter, headed by Melberg.

The chairman accepted the resignation of Miss Eileen Mair, who served during the past two years as head of the first aid and water safety department of the chapter.

Important work achieved by Miss Mair was the recent establishment of first aid stations along high 40 in this county.

The Nevada City chapter was recently awarded a certificate of honor for "distinguished achievement in 1949 Red Cross fund campaign" in which Nevada City raised over $1,000 more than the quota. The drive was headed by J. F. Siegfried.

Future meetings will be held on Wednesday nights.

Uncle Sam Says

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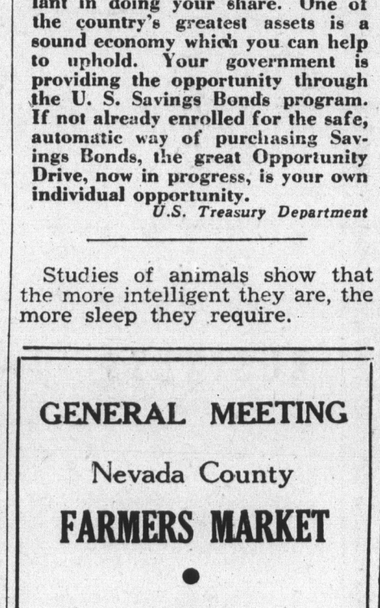

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